



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held July 15, 2005, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“Global Energy Independence Month’ recognizes the innovations and leadership of Nikola Tesla, the great Serbian-American inventor born in Croatia, who led the way in promoting the development of alternative energies such as cold fusion, zero point energy, and the Tesla radiant to reduce our dependence on conventional energies like oil and coal.

“With more than 270 patents awarded to him over the course of his lifetime, Tesla shaped the twentieth century with his invention of the radio, radar, X-Ray, AC power, and the induction motor.

“As we face rising gas prices and uncertainty in the Middle East, it is important to carry on Tesla’s legacy by promoting alternative free energies such as solar, wind, and geothermal.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried (Supervisor Yaroslavsky being absent), the Board proclaimed July 2008 as “Global Energy Independence Month” throughout Los Angeles County.

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